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## The National Finances.

ABSTRACT OF THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, SUBMITTED TO CONGRESS, DECEMBER 3, 1888.

Receipts and Expenditures.

FISCAL YEAR, 1888.

The ordinary revenues of the Government from all sources for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1888, were $379,266,074.76.

The ordinary expenditures for the same period were $259,653,950 67, leaving a surplus of $119,612,124.09, which was applied as follows:

Purchase of bonds for sinking fund, the selling $1,000,000.00 for premium [illegible] ..... $94,577,162 50
Redemption of—
Fractional currency for sinking fund ..... 7,000 00
Bonds ..... 2,664,050 10
Old demand, compound interest, fractional currency and refunding certificates ..... 63,041 65
Purchase of—
Funded loan of 1891 ..... 8,995,250 00
Funded loan of 1907 ..... 64,255,200 00
Premium on bonds of 1891 and 1907 ..... 4,816,225 00
..... $97,595,815 00
Leaving a balance added to the cash in the Treasury of ..... 20,021,130 59

As compared with the fiscal year 1887, the receipts for 1888 have increased $7,962,797.19.

There was a decrease in the ordinary expenditures of $8,275,231 30.

FISCAL YEAR, 1889.

For the present fiscal year the revenues, actual and estimated, are $477,000,000.

The expenditures for the same period, actual and estimated, are $253,800,000.

Estimated surplus, applicable to the purchase of bonds, $161,200,000.

FISCAL YEAR, 1890.

The revenues of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1890, are estimated upon the basis of existing laws, at $377,000,000

The estimates of expenditures for the same period, as submitted by the several Executive Departments and officers, are, including Sinking-fund, $323,567,000 31, or an estimated surplus of $53,432,511.06.

Excluding the sinking-fund, the estimated expenditures will be $253,267,690 31, showing a surplus of $103,232,311 69.

SINKING-FUND.

The requirements of the act of February 25, 1862 (R. S., 3689, 3690), establishing a sinking-fund for the gradual extinguishment of the public debt, estimated for the current fiscal year at $47,503,000, have been thus far met by the redemption of treasury notes, fractional currency, and bonds of the United States which had ceased to bear interest, amounting to $27,707,325, and by the purchase of $66,220,000 at the funded loan of 1891, and $23,151,150 of the funded loan of 1907, as a part of the fund for payments of $71,371,225.25 on the former and $34,280.25 on the latter loan.

SURPLUS REVENUE.

In the last annual report it was estimated that the revenues for the year to end June 30, 1888, would yield a surplus of many millions, not including the sinking-fund, by $132,000,000. It will be seen from the foregoing statement that such excess was in reality $113,612,116 09, or $18,383,116.09 more than the Department estimate. It was also estimated in the same report that the surplus for the fiscal year to end June 30, 1889, would be $200,213,263.66. Judgment from the present aspect of affairs, and in the light of receipts and expenditures to the middle of November, it is probable that this estimate will prove to have been fairly accurate, and that the surplus will almost exactly equal the predicted sum, a remarkable result since its nearest approach to all the uncertainties of future requirements and of expenditures to be authorized by a Congress not yet assembled.

The accumulated surplus on September 30, 1888, was $60,454,853 84; the surplus revenue from that date to June 30, 1889, is estimated, as $76,345,263 25, making the total accumulation on June 30, 1889, which could be spared to the purchase of bonds, $171,810,054 09; however, between said time and November 30, 1889, $60,200 50 has been paid for bonds; consequently, if no more bonds were bought between now and June 30 next, the surplus would then amount to $137,800,000.

PURCHASE OF BONDS.

Since the last annual report and after the completion of the sinking-fund requirements for the year ended June 30, 1888, no bonds were bought until there were no expectations of options by reason of the high premium at which they then were held and proper to hasten the surplus in bonds at the premium necessary to obtain them. The purchases were consistent under a circular of April 17, 1888, and notice that there nearly all the bonds which have been offered for sale to the Government, have been bought by it, as will appear from an inspection of the bond-purchase book.

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

The total value of the imports and exports of the fiscal year, when compared with those of the fiscal year 1887, shows an increase of $39,884,347.

The value of our exports of domestic merchandise, during the last fiscal year, were less than that of 1887 by $19,346,815.

The values of exports of domestic merchandise, during the year ended June 30, 1888, classified by groups according to condition of production, were as follows:

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| Products of agriculture ..... | $556,000,000 |
| Products of mining ..... | 17,000,000 |
| Products of forests ..... | 17,000,000 |
| Products of the fisheries ..... | 5,000,000 |
| Other products ..... | 1,000,000 |
| Total ..... | $687,000,000 |

The total value of the imports of merchandise increased from $692,319,787 in 1887 to $731,967,114 in 1888, being an increase of $31,647,346, or 4.57 per cent., of which $9,950,684 represents the increase in the value of free merchandise, and $21,796,662 the increase in the value of dutiable imports.

FOREIGN CARRYING TRADE.

Our foreign commerce, carried in vessels of the United States, measured by its value, has steadily declined from 75 per cent. in 1856 to less than 14 per cent. in 1888. Even of this small percentage only 38 per cent. was carried in steam vessels bearing our flag.

IMMIGRATION.

The number of statistical cards for the year ended June 30, 1888, were 603,189. The expenditures on account of immigration during the year were $120,000.

The total number of alien passengers coming into the United States, by ports of entry, from which cards were received, were 546,889. Of these, 457,257 were males over fourteen years of age, and 89,632 were females and children. Of the males, 457,257 were over fourteen years of age, 379,663 were between fourteen and forty-five years of age, and 77,594 were over forty-five years of age. Of the males over fourteen years of age, 379,663 were between fourteen and forty-five years of age, 379,663 were able to read, and 77,594 were over forty-five years of age. Of the males over fourteen years of age, 379,663 were able to read, and 77,594 were unable to read

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SOUTELLE & DUNN, PROPRIETORS.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1888.

Congressman Ford, of Michigan, says that the two things that defeated him for re-election were the tariff issue and the Democratic virtues of protection bills.

The administration organs have devoted columns of space to showing the unimportance of the President's speech on duties, but have managed to keep to that part of things in the rest of it disappeared.

It might again recommend the [illegible] of revenue legislation to the attention of Congress, but [illegible] about [illegible] the President wishes [illegible] of legislation only.

It [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

# Daily and Tri-Weekly.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1888.

BY TELEGRAPH.

## MAINE STATE NEWS.

THE ANNUAL REPORT ABOUT
may interest those
A common Police Dog
of
with
dressed while coming
Monday afternoon
the
has been received

Another Conflagration
at
Dec
Water Streets
and destroyed tonight
it has
to
the

Press Association
meeting was held at Lewis
in session Dec
The Maine Press Association
and the evening spent
pleasantly

Fatal Accident
Dec
Fred
son of
Hughes Island
and
with
Hughes
Island
a log and was
drowned
The body
Hughes
Island
Monday afternoon
The
accident
was witnessed by
Hughes
Island
and
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[illegal] Ayer's Pills [illegal]

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# [illegal]

By JOHN STRANGE WINTER.

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In quiet still follow put in the doctor s othings Of course, the inspector does not suspect you except as he suspects us all until he gets at the truth He only warned you to say nothing that might lead t suspicions being thrown upon you But inspector I suppose there would be no harm in my asking Mr Beresford how the dumb bell came to be here?

Not the least sir"

I am sure there cannot be said Jim, rather slightly nor sh anything I may say I wish my conscience was as clear of everything in of having lifted a finger against that dear old chap As to the dumb bells that is simple enough I lent them to him weeks ago for I've never been able t use them since I broke my right hand last year Capt Owen s own are too heavy for his weight and he fancied that would him more harm than good so he used mine for some time before we left Basingstoke

I can answer for that put in James with his face flushed during the examination and thrust the other by the side of the door My master always had them with him close by where his bath was sir"

There was no doubt whatever that the dumb bell in the policeman s hand was the weapon with which the fatal deed had been done for it was dabbled with blood to which a good many short dark hairs were sticking

Then the inspector after declaring that there would be nothing further at present, left Leader to hold the door and went away, his the sentries still on guard in the corridor

And as I and Beautiful Jim had enough to do—send telegrams off to headquarters and to warn the members of Owen s family —to be interviewed by newspaper reporters and all sorts of people who flocked from all parts to hear the details of the terrible event—to carry on the work of the entire detachment and make all manner of arrangements in connection with the inquest and funeral the like of which I had happily never fallen in his way before It was an awful time for them all the men stood about the barrack yard in groups and the few women clustered round their doors and talked and talked it over until there was positively no light left in which they had not looked at it The three officers with such guests as had gathered about them discussed the matter in the anteroom in much the same way—asking over and over again Who could have done it and What in the could anybody have had to murder the old soldier for when everybody s friend who had never been known to have an enemy in the world?

And I to watch it from behind Beautiful Jim with it up bitterly after the question had been repeated for about the fiftieth time That s the hardest rub of all that Owen who was straightforwardness itself should have been struck from behind But will allow me not—mark my words it will come home yet to the hound who did it

God who is above us grant it said the chaplain solemnly and rest assured Mr Beresford that it he does not seek to grant it to this world the murderer will meet with his reward in the next Vengeance is mine I will repay saith the Lord

Beautiful Jim! off his cap and bared his curly head Amen he said solemnly and it is a sorry man in the room I ween to-day until the turnkey at the young lark who with the slightest perceptible hesitation took off his cap also with a hand that shook so we could hear it

Amen said he in a voice that was hardly above a whisper—and then there was a moment s dead silence one of those silences in which a party s whole available artillery seems to have fired itself away

I was the first who broke the silence

Dam my lad he said with rough kindness all this terrible affair has sent your nerves to pieces Don s throw away time in unmanly grief Here Sump [illegal]